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Treasurer's Report.

To the Town of Madison:

In compliance with Chap. 40 Sec. 10, of the General Laws of the State of New Hampshire, I hereby submit a report of all my financial transactions as Town Treasurer during the financial year ending Feb. 15, 1913.

RECEIPTS.

RECEIF 15.			
Balance in treasury as per last report,	\$	352	66
Railroad tax,		312	60
Savings bank tax,		235	20
Literary fund,		59	16
Proportion of school fund,		389	75
R G Greene, collector for 1912,	5	,566	63
" 1911,		45	00
Sydney D Gilman, Town Clerk, dog license,		80	10
H E Chick, from state, bounty on hedge hogs,		9	40
" highway money,		153	26
66		9	75
E E Kennett, from state, for 1911 hedgehog bount	у,	11	40
I W Frost, from county, Edward Sullivan, sick-			
ness expenses,		101	33
H E Chick, from state, highway money,		66	32
S D Gilman, Town Clerk, money deposited by			
candidates at primary,		9	00
H E Chick, from state, highway money,		17	00
" forest fire bills,		52	83
" repairs on state road,		5	75
" cleaning fish screen,		21	00
" highway money,		225	00
" county, Thomas Butler case,		22	32
	\$7.	745	46
DISEURSEMENTS.	# *)	,	
Pd Solon A Carter, state tax,	\$	664	00

234	Chas E Smart, county tax,	597	00
21	Sydney D Gilman, school money,	200	00
116	"	400	00
183	66	100	
233		100	00
235	"	300	00
244	"	300	00
270	"	300	00
293		562	25
		\$3,523	26
	FIGHTING FIRE.		
12	Fred T Hale,	\$ 1	50
122	Joseph E Burke, fire warden,	166	15
		\$167	65
	BREAKING ROADS.		
3	Harry Pascoe, winter of 1911 and 12,	\$ 10	00
5	Theodore Pearson,	"	73
6	J E Burke,		50
7	William Long,		00
9	George R Nickerson,	2	00
10	Lyman L Martin,	1	00
13	Henry Harmon,	10	00
14	W G Loud,	12	00
16	Willie E Granville,	9	00
17	I W Frost,	6	00
18	H E Chick,	9	00
19	John L Frost,	15	00
22	Steven Stacy,	12	00
24	I C Kennett,	43	00
39	B F Bickford,	48	00
40	Albert Bickford,	12	00
82	Mark Brown,	17	40
83	C J Chamberlin,	6	50
118	Elmer Harmon,	10	00
119	N K Forrest,	52	00
225	Ira Ward,	12	00

265	Ionathan Tular	10	50
265 266	Jonathan Tyler, E E Hoyt,		00
242	Mrs. Archie Bell,		00
242	Mrs. Archie ben,		00
		\$339	63
	HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.		
41		\$ 26	25
42	B F Bickford, surveyor, paid to Albert Bickford,	. "	00
	John Leigish,	13	25
43			-
44	Leslie Emerson,	3	50
45	Fred Clayton,	1	75
46	David Hurd,	1	75
288	Himself,	. 11	87
60	I C Kennett, surveyor,	43	25
59	paid to L D Gray,	26	13
58	C O Gray,	11	
57	O Long,	3	00
56	James Hurd,	14	00
55	John Hurd,	1	75
54	Ernest Brown,	1	75
53	W G Loud,	8	00
52	Sumner Bickford,	16	00
51	E S Nickerson,	3	50
50	Fred Webster,	3	50
49	Wallace Webster,	3	50
48	Elwin Drew,	10	00
47	N M Nason,	1	75
61	William Long, surveyor,	25	25
62	paid to W G Loud,	8	00
63	Victor Staples,	1	75
64	Chas Tasker,	3	50
65	Bert Bickford,	16	
66	Fred Jackson,	3	50
67	Harry Jackson,	1	75
68	Geo Allard,	5	25
134	Geo Anaru,	8	50
109	W G Loud paid to B F Bickford,		00
110		5	25
110	Otis Bean,	3	20

111	J H Pearson,		10	50
112	Arthur Batch,		1	75
113	Leslie Emerson,		10	50
. 114	John Lewis,		8	75
115	W G Loud,		21	75
144	H C Harriman,		1	30
149	Canton Bridge (Co,	22	40
228	John H Pearson	,	1	75
224	Frank G Ward paid to Dan Foster	,	1	75
223	Steve Stacy	,	6	19
222	Ira Ward,		12	19
72	Joe Foster,		5	25
71	Daniel Fos	ter,	7	64
70	Steve Stacy	,	13	69
69	Ira Ward,		20	94
74	Joseph E Burke paid to Abner Har	mon,	3	50
75	Wilbur Har	mon,	1	75
76	George Wel	oster,	5	25
77	Albion Two	mbly,	1	50
78	Chester Dre	ew,	1	50
79	J H Anthoi	ne,	8	75
80	Himself,		30	85
121	J E Burke,		7	25
150	Canton Brie	dge Co,	11	20
155	J E Burke,		40	63
226	J E Burke,		1	00
84	Geo A Nickerson paid to W E Gra	nville,	11	00
85	Guy W N	ickerson,	2	63
86	John L F	rost,	4	00
87	Albert Bi	ckford,	4	00
88	Sumner B	sickford,	4	00
89	I W Fros	t,	1	34
90	T C Pear	son,	9	75
91	Geo Nick	erson,	19	26
117	T C Pear	son,	2	00
153	G W Nic	kerson,	3	94
154	Himself,		8	75

97	H C Harriman paid to I W Frost,		1	75
98	E E Kennett		26	00
99	J L Frost,	- 1	24	00
100	Albert Bickfo	rd,	12	00
101	B F Bickford		12	00
102	E S Nickerso	n,	11	38
103	Otis Bean,		11	38
104	Geo Webster,		7	00
105	Fred Webster	,	7	88
106	Abner Harm	on,	6	56
135	Himself		19	50
136	Bridge Mone	у,	8	00
143	Jesse Harmon	n,	1	75
92	Henry Harmon, surveyor,		5	75
93	paid to Wilbur Harmo	n,	2	65
94	Joel M Harmon		3	50
95	I W Frost,		7	00
96	Abner Harmon,		1	75
124	Himself,		18	56
125	Wilbur Harmon	n,	2	65
126	Joel M "		5	25
127	I W Frost,		7	00
128	Jesse Harmon,		5	69
129	Chas Littlefield		5	25
130	J L Frost,		6	25
. 131	Fred Frost,		2	00
132	Arthur Batch,		8	00
145	Arthur Busher,		2	63
213	Joel Harmon,		2	63
214	I W Frost,			88
215	himself,		5	00
216	Abner Harmon			88
269	John F Chick, lumber for town,		5	32
81	"		13	40
108	Emily Harriman, bridge stringers,		4	00
123	Costello Robins, surveyor,		30	47
262			1	50
148	Canton Bridge Co, steel culvert,		27	00

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137	Timothy Chancey, for cutting bushes,	7 00
138	Frank "	3 50
139	Jesse Hurd "	3 50
140	I W Frost	7 88
141	Geo Webster "	1 75
142	Mark Nickerson "	1 75
146	Wilbur Harmon "	2 63
199	Anthony Frost	18 00
271	Chas Littlefield,	50
227	R G Greene, highway money,	3 50
238	Isaac W Frost, work on culvert and frt. on	
	road drag,	3 65
237	I A Forrest, tiling,	4 40
243	H J Pascoe, work on branch bridge road,	12 75
182	4.6	3 00
257	Mark Nickerson, work on highway,	88
147	Isaac W Frost, bridge money,	6 61
267	E E Hoyt, bridge plank and stringers,	10 42
264	Wm Salter, work on highway,	10 00
272	Harry Alley "	40
287	E L Drew "	1.50
284	Mark Nickerson	1 00
151	James Tyler	23 50
258	E E Kennett, work on bridge,	14 88
218	A C Kennett, bridge plank,	21 35
259	E E Kennett, work on highway,	6 00
		\$1,129 36
		# - 1,
	STATE HIGHWAY	
25	E S Nickerson, work on state road,	\$ 9 63
26	J E Burke, work and material,	40 75
27	George Webster, work on state road,	9 63
28	Otis Bean,	9 63
29	Abner Harmon,	9 63
30	Wilbur Harmon,	3 50
31	N M Nason,	7 00
32	Carroll Frye,	7 88
33	Ernest E Kennett,	22 00

34	John L Frost,	10.27
35	Joel M Harmon,	19 37 88
36	Milford Ward,	1 30
37	I W Frost,	13 82
38	Gilman Bros., screens for state road,	11 30
156	E E Kennett, work on state road,	16 00
157	I C Kennett, "	16 00
158	E S Nickerson,	7 00
159	Mark Nickerson,	7 00
160	George Webster,	7 00
161	Frank Moore.	7 00
162	H C Harriman,	8 00
163	J M Harmon,	10 36
164	Wilbur Harmon,	7 00
165	Will Ferren, work on state road,	7 00
166	I W Frost,	9 00
167	Abner Harmon,	4 38
168	E E Kennett,	24 00
169	I C Kenentt,	24 00
170	E S Nickerson,	10 50
171	George Webster,	10 50
172	H C Harriman,	12 00
173	J W Harmon,	12 75
174	Wilbur Harmon,	8 75
175	Will Ferren,	10 02
176	I W Frost,	18 75
177	Abner Harmon,	10 50
178	George Gray,	7 00
179	Henry Harmon,	22 00
180	J L Frost,	20 00
181	Will Jenness,	8 75
184	I C Kennett,	43 00
185	George Webster,	15 75
186	H C Harriman,	18 00
187	J M Harmon,	16 64
188	Wilbur Harmon,	14 00
189	I W Frost,	36 00
190	Abner Harmon, work on state road,	15 75

191	Harry Harmon,	28	15
192	J L Frost,	16	00
193	Will Jenness,	14	00
194	Elwin Drew,	15	75
195	E E Kennett,	30	00
196	J E Burke,	16	00
197	George Gray,	4	38
200	I C Kennett,	12	50
201	George Webster,	3	50
202	H C Harriman,	40	00
203	Wilbur Harmon,	3	50
204	I W Frost,	4	50
205	Abner Harmon,	3	50
206	Henry Harmon,	5	75
207	J M Harmon,	4	00
208	Will Jenness,	3	50
209	Elwin Drew,	3	50
210	E E Kennett,	8	00
211	J E Burke, gravel and work on state road,	53	00
212	George Gray, work on state road,	3	50
220	Webster & Ambrose, sharpening picks,	2	10
246	E E Kennett, work on state road,	2	88
247	F B Nason, work and material painting on		
	state road,	7	75
248	I W Frost, work on state road,	2	00
		\$882	48
	MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.		
1	Memorial Hospital, board and nursing Ed-		
1	ward Sullivan,	\$ 30	83
2	Drs G H & J Z Shedd, surgical operation,	w 00	
_	Edward Sullivan,	63	00
4	W D H Hill, services and expenses on Mad-		
	ison and Tamworth line,	41	26
8	W G Martin, medical attendance on Edw.		
	Sullivan,	7	50
11	Edson C Eastman, tax and order books and		
	checklists,	5	53

15	B C Snyder, printing town reports,	25	00
20	Emma M Forrest, keeping tramps,	7	50
73	Daniel Foster, cleaning fish screen,	21	00
107	Good Road Mch Co, road hone,	22	00
133	I A Forrest, Old Home Week money,	50	00
217	Edson C Eastman, stationery,	1	11
219	Minnie Gerry, public library money,	42	00
229	R P Thurston, expense in burial Thos Butler,	10	00
530	R F Drew, expense preparing body of Thos		
	Butler for burial,	5	50
231	Jesse Kennett, goods furnished Thos Butler,	1	82
232	H E Chick, services and expenses in burial		
	of Thos Butler,	5	00
239	H E Chick, bounty on hedgehogs,	2	40
240	M E Nickerson, "	1	40
241	I W Frost, "	5	60
249	Samuel Ward, keeping tramps,	15	00
250	Frank P Piper, money due town of Albany		
	sent here by mistake,	17	00
252	Edson C Eastman, stationery for town,	7	38
254	R F Drew, work done on snow roller,	11	00
255	H C Harriman, work and material for snow		
	roller,	15	63
256	l W Frost	7	00
260	Henry Harmon, wood for town hall,	8	12
261	James R Thompson, housing snow roller,		00
263	Susie Greene, care of grave of John Ward,	5	00
273	H C Harriman, repairs on snow roller,		70
281	H E Chick, cash pd for exp, postage, 'phoning		40
285	M E Nickerson, work on town hall,		50
131	Henry Pascoe, unjust taxation,		91
29()	E E Kennett, wood for town hall,		00
291	D L Harmon, music for G A R celebration,		00
289	Forrest Chick and son, stove pipe,	5	85
		\$470	94
	TOWN OFFICEDS	,,,,	
	TOWN OFFICERS.		
221	H E Chick, services as selectman,	\$ 45	00

282	46	25	00
236	Mark E Nickerson, services as selectman,	50	()()
283		8	00
286	I W Frost	65	00
253	R K Chick, services as supervisor,	9	00
277	J E Burke "	6	50
268	Hattie L Chick, school clerk,	2	00
275	W G Martin, services as board of health, re-		
	porting births and deaths,	15	50
274	Sydney D Gilman, town clerk and school treas.,	30	00
276	Samuel J Gilman, services as town treasurer,	15	00
278	R G Greene, services as collector taxes,	40	00
279	"taking enumeration school children,	5	00
280	"truant officer,	6	00
292	D L Harmon, supervisor,	6	50
		\$328	50

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

23	E C Witham, supe	rintendent,	\$	55	00
120	66	•		55	00
198	Alonzo Knowlton,	superintendent,		32	25
245		"		46	87
251	*	46		15	62
			- #	204	74

RECAPITULATION

Total receipts,			\$7,745	46
State tax,	664	00		
County tax,	597	00		
School treasurer,	2,262	26		
Breaking roads,	339	63		
Highways and bridges,	1,129	36		
Miscellaneous bills,	470	94		
Fighting fire,	167	65		

Superintendent of schools,	204 74
Town officers,	328 50
State Highway,	882 48 7,046

Balance in treasury, Feb. 15, 1913,

\$698 90

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SAMUEL J GILMAN, Town Treasurer,

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

I, John H. Burke, Auditor for the Town of Madison, for the financial year ending Feb. 15, 1913, hereby certify that I have carefully examined the foregoing account and find. it correctly cast and well vouched.

JOHN H. BURKE, Auditor.

Selectmen's Report.

To John H. Burke, Auditor for the financial year ending Feb 15, 1913:

In compliance with Chapter 40, Section 10, of the General Laws of the State of New Hampshire, we herewith submit a report of all our financial transactions during the past year with our vouchers therefor, together with a statement of the financial condition of the town.

Total valuation of the town exclusive of Savings

bank deposits, bonds, or town notes,	\$373,812 00
Savings bank deposits,	31,360 00
Resident tax warrant including all taxes,	3,983 30
Non-resident "	1,816 37

ACCOUNT WITH THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

DR.

Railroad tax due from state,	\$312 6	50
Savings bank tax,	235 2	20
Literary fund,	59 1	16
Proportion of school fund,	- 389 7	75
	\$996 7	71
CR.		
Treasurer's receipt for state tax,	664 (00
Check for balance due town,	332 7	71
	\$996 7	71

ACCOUNT WITH THE COUNTY OF CARROLL

DR.

County tax,		\$597 00
	CR.	
County tay		\$597 00

SETTLEMENT WITH COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Roscoe G. Greene, Collector

Frank Chisolm, not in town, James O Gerry, watering trough, Joseph E Burke, SETTLEMENT WITH COLLECTOR OF TAXES Payments made and charged to town treas., Payments made and charged to town treas., Bal. due town, Feb. 15, 1913, 1912, 1911, 1911, 165 HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MONEY Amount not expended 1911, 170 raised for summer 1912, 171 winter 1912, 171 winter 1912, 171 winter 1912, 172 door Total amount, 172 Amount paid for breaking roads 1912, 173 and 174 to repair state highway, 175 and in town treasury, 175 and in town treasury, 175 and in town treasury, 175 and 1	Resident warrant, Non-resident warrant,	\$3,983 1,816	
Charles Davis, soldier, Mrs. L J Whipple, soldier's widow, Frank Chisolm, not in town, James O Gerry, watering trough, Joseph E Burke, SETTLEMENT WITH COLLECTOR OF TAXES Payments made and charged to town treas., Fayments made and charged to town treas., 1912, 1911, 1911, 1911, 165 HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MONEY Amount not expended 1911, 177 1817 1918 1919 1919 1919 1919 1919		\$5,799	67
Mrs. L J Whipple, soldier's widow, Frank Chisolm, not in town, James O Gerry, watering trough, Joseph E Burke, SETTLEMENT WITH COLLECTOR OF TAXES Payments made and charged to town treas., Bal. due town, Feb. 15, 1913, 1912, 1911, 1917, 1911, 191	Abatements made and recorded		
Frank Chisolm, not in town, James O Gerry, watering trough, Joseph E Burke, SETTLEMENT WITH COLLECTOR OF TAXES Payments made and charged to town treas., Payments made and charged to town treas., 1912, 1911, 191	Charles Davis, soldier,	\$	37
James O Gerry, watering trough, Joseph E Burke, \$24 SETTLEMENT WITH COLLECTOR OF TAXES Payments made and charged to town treas., Bal. due town, Feb. 15, 1913, 1912, 1911,	Mrs. L J Whipple, soldier's widow,	6	20
Joseph E Burke, "\$24 SETTLEMENT WITH COLLECTOR OF TAXES Payments made and charged to town treas., \$5,611 Bal. due town, Feb. 15, 1913, 233 "1912, 319 "1911, 65 HIGHWAY AND BRIDGE MONEY Amount not expended 1911, \$177 "raised for summer 1912, 1,300 "winter 1912, 400 Total amount, \$1,877 Amount paid for breaking roads 1912, \$339 63 expended on highways and bridges, 1,129 36 "to repair state highway, and in town treasury, 100 00 1,568 Amount of highway and bridge money not expended, \$308 STATE HIGHWAY Town contribution, \$363 State "453 Total joint fund, 816	Frank Chisolm, not in town,	1	55
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Payments made and charged to town treas., Bal. due town, Feb. 15, 1913,		\$24	12
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Amount not expended 1911, " raised for summer 1912, " winter 1912,	" 1911,	65	00
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STATE HIGHWAY Town contribution, \$363 State " 453 Total joint fund, 816	Amount of highway and bridge money not		
Town contribution, \$363 State "453 Total joint fund, 816	expended,	\$308	61
State "453 Total joint fund, 816	STATE HIGHWAY		
Total joint fund, 816	Town contribution,	\$363	00
	State "	453	75
Town dishursements approved 700 66	Total joint fund,	816	75
Town disputsements approved, 700 00	Town disbursements approved, 700 66		

State disbursements approved,	24 7	75	
Paid by state to town,	378 2	26	
Balance in town treasury,	40 6	50	
" state "	50 7	74	
Total unexpended balance,		91	34
MAINTENANCE OF STA	TE HIGH	WAY	
Town contribution,	*	\$100	00
State contribution,		100	00
Total joint fund,		200	00
Total disbursements approved,	,	187	37
Amount in town treasury,		6	12
" state "		6	12
FINANCIAL STANDING OF T	OWN FFI	2 15 1012	
ASSETS	OWN, FEI	5. 15, 1915	,
Amount in town treasury, Feb. 15, 19	013	\$ 698	90
Due from R G Greene, collector, Feb.		233	
""	1912,	319	
' c	1714,	313	23
	1011	65	00
"	1911,	65	00
ii .	1911,	\$1,316	
LIABILITIES	1911,		
	1911,	\$1,316	
LIABILITIES Due estate of John M Ward, Willie C Kennett note,	1911,	\$1,316	19
Due estate of John M Ward, Willie C Kennett note, Ernest E Kennett note,	1911,	\$1,316 85 469 203	19 00 57 43
Due estate of John M Ward, Willie C Kennett note, Ernest E Kennett note, Isaac W Frost note,	1911,	\$1,316 85 469 203 258	19 00 57 43 08
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HERBERT E. CHICK, ISAAC W. FROST, MARK E. NICKERSON, Selectmen of Madison.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

I, John H. Burke, Auditor for the Town of Madison, for the financial year ending Feb. 15, 1913, hereby certify that I have carefully examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and well vouched.

JOHN H. BURKE, Auditor.

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MINNIE H. GERRY, Treasurer. ALBINA C. HARMON, Secretary.

School Report.

Report of Superintendent Knowlton. To the School Board and Citizens of Madison:

Mr. Chairman and members of the Board-

I have the honor and privilege to submit to you my first annual report of the public schools of Madison for the year ending March 1, 1913, it being the fourth in the series of such reports.

I entered your field of service last August, and have endeavored to pick up the threads of administration of my predecessor, Mr. E. C. Witham, thus to carry on the work with as little break as possible. We feel that this has been fairly successfully accomplished through the valuable assistance rendered by members of the School Board.

For a school report to be of value to the citizens, it is necessary for it to contain some local school history that progress may be noted as well as the plans and aspirations of the future.

Rank cards have been made out for all the schools. These are so arranged as to take the place of promotion cards at the close of the school year. Duplicate reports are kept so that the loss of a card does not mean the loss of a child's record.

Along with these cards, we have introduced a partial set of the National School Record System used by all up-to-date school systems and approved by the U. S. Commissioner of Education. We did not use a full set of records as our system is not sufficiently large. This system gives on one card the record of the child from the time that he enters school till he has graduated from high school and what he does when he has left school. These records are made out in duplicate.

The State Course of Study has been followed as closely as possible in our schools. We are in hopes to follow it more closely and extensively as time goes on.

The following teachers have been employed during the past year: Mrs. Ethel M. Lane, fall and winter term at Silver Lake; Margaret M. Stevens, spring, fall and winter terms at the Corner school; L. Bessie Parker, fall and winter terms at Nickerson school; Anne Kenneally, Quarry school for one week and Georgianna Hurlin for four weeks. Of these teachers, Misses Kenneally, Stevens and Parker are normal graduates.

At the end of the fifth week, the Quarry school was closed on account of very few pupils and those not attending. The pupils have been attending the Albany schools since the closing of this school. We would recommend that arrangements be made with the Town of Albany to furnish schooling for the pupils in Madison belonging to the Quarry school.

Some slate boards ought to be supplied for the Silver Lake school also some at the Corner school. The teacher at the Corner school ought to be supplied with a desk in place of the old table now in use. The Nickerson should have a book closet.

My time has ceen divided as follows: $\frac{5}{8}$ to Conway, $\frac{1}{8}$ to Madison, $\frac{1}{8}$ to Bartlett Town and $\frac{1}{8}$, o Bartlett Special.

During the fall and winter terms, I made 37 visits to the Madison schools. It has not been possible to hold teachers' meetings as the schools are so scattered. I have discussed the needs, offered suggestions, etc. to the teachers at the time of my visits, usually after the session closed, treating each school as its needs seemed to require.

Some simple tests have been given, not to see what the children could do with difficult problems but to test their ability to apply what they have been studying to every day conditions. The results were not all that might be desired. We feel confident that more satisfactory results will follow in due season.

BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

The regular supplies have been purchased consisting of paper, pencils, crayon, ink, pens, etc. We have endeavored to have these used economically. A few new spellers have been purchased to supply the place of those worn out, in the

Silver Lake school. A few histories, arithmetics, physiologies, geographies and supplementary readers have been purchased. These have been to supply the classes using the books. More supplementary readers are needed and individual dictionaries for the upper grades.

We would recommend that a pupil entering the sixth grade be given a new geography, arithmetic and grammar and that he shall use the same books for as long a time as he shall remain in the elementary school. When he shall have completed the course satisfactorily, these same books are to become his property. If the child destroys these books before he has completed the elementary course he shall replace them. The average life of a school book is three years, much less in the hands of some children. We believe that this will not materially increase the cost of books and will keep the books in much better condition, and further, the child will have some books for reference when he has left school.

CIFTS

The Nickerson school has received the present of a nice organ, and I understand that the children have some funds that they are to use for a gift to the school. This money was earned by an entertainment given by the school. The pupils and teacher gave an entertainment at Silver Lake school, and the funds from it were used to purchase a beautiful clock, dictionary and dictionary stand for the school. The pupils and teacher at Madison Corner school gave an entertainment. The funds from this, I understand, are to be used in the purchase of a dictionary and a holder for the same. In behalf of the district, I wish to thank you for these useful gifts.

CONCLUSION

In conclusion, I wish to take this opportunity to thank the teachers for their faithful work in their endeavor to carry out our suggestions and for their co-operation and support.

I also wish to thank those parents who have taken an active interest in our schools and who have labored with us for their betterment and success. We trust that all will unite with us in this one important question, the education of our

boys and girls, so that our schools shall grow in thoroughness and efficiency.

We hope to see the coming year, less tardiness, better attendance, full co-operation of parents, teachers and pupils, all trained teachers, fewer changes in teachers, better results in reading, writing and arithmetic.

To you members of the School Board, I wish to extend my sincere thanks for your assistance, suggestions, support and hearty co-operation in my varied duties to the Madison School District.

Respectfully submitted,
ALONZO J. KNOWLTON,
Superintendent of Schools.

Roll of Honor: Nickerson School—Elson A. Ward, Noah Ward, Roland Ward, Philip Ward; Nathan Stacy not absent for fall term.

School census 1913, boys 57, girls 39, total 96. Average number weeks year ending July 15, 1912, 30; average attendance 64, percentage of attendance 85. Pupils attending high schools, tuition paid by district, 4.

In addition to the Superintendent's report, the School Board, in accordance with Chapter 52, Session Laws of 1909, recommend to the selectmen the following sums and for the purposes named: High school tuition \$150, text books and supplies \$75, repairs \$50, teacher's desk Corner school \$13.50.

JAMES W. TYLER, E. E. KENNETT, EDNA A. GILMAN, School Board of Madison.

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT FOR CURRENT YEAR.

I DAK.	
Rec'd from Town Treas.,	\$2,262 26
" Miss Hoagland from entertainment,	10 00
Balance in bank per last report, Feb 15, 1912,	79 95
	\$2,352 21
DISBURSEMENTS.	\$2,002 21
Order No.	
1 Z L Savary, labor,	\$ 22 37
2 R P Thurston, sawing wood,	2 25
3 W Leavitt, painting,	8 50
4 V Jenness, carrying scholars,	13 50
5 L Bessie Parker, teaching,	10 00
6 Mrs Metcalf, cleaning schoolhouse,	2 00
7 Mrs Carrie E Littlefield "	3 00
8 Boston Regalia Co, flag.	1 50
9 L Bessie Parker, teaching,	5 00
10 Marion C Parker "	11 00
11 Mrs H C Harriman, cleaning schoolhouse,	4 00
12 L Bessie Parker, teaching,	111 00
13 Margaret F Stevens, teaching,	132 00
14 A C Balch, carrying scholars,	36 00
15 Jennie M Staples, teaching,	104 00
16 Marion C Patrick, teaching,	127 60
17 Forrest Chick & Son, stove pipe,	2 75
18 Martha A Long, carrying scholars,	29 00
19 Nute high school, tuition,	48 00
20 Slatington Slate Co, slate boards,	5 58
21 Ethel M Lane, teaching,	40 00
22 A C Balch, carrying scholars,	20 00
23 L Bessie Parker, teaching,	25 00
24 Alonzo Knowlton, Quarry school teacher,	10 00
25 Z L Savary, labor,	6 86
26 A C Balch, carrying scholars,	17 00
27 L Bessie Parker, teaching,	5 00
28 Georgianna Hurlin, teaching,	32 00
29 Ethel Lane	40 00
30 "	40 00

31	Margaret F Stevens "	132	00
32	John F Chick, wood and lumber,		59
33	L Bessie Parker, teaching,		00
34	Standard Wood Co., wood,		00
35	L Bessie Parker, teaching,	115	00
36	James W Tyler, salary,		00
37	A J Knowlton, incidentals,		53
38	E E Kennett, salary,		00
39	" supplies and labor,		50
40	Arthur Balch, carrying scholars,		00
41	Ethel Lane, teaching,		00
42	James W Tyler, wood, postage and express,		06
43	Harry Alley, labor,	2	00
44	I W Frost, lumber,	3	00
45	E C Witham, money pd out,		00
46	Gilman Bros, supplies,		17
47	J L Hammett, supplies,	24	15
48	Nute high school, tuition,	32	00
49	B C Snyder, printing,	5	00
50	E E Babb, supplies,		50
51	Loring, Short & Harmon, supplies,	1	05
52	Ginn & Co,	3	23
5 3	Am. Book Co, books,	32	77
54	A C Balch, carrying scholars,	16	00
55	Ethel Lane, teaching,	40	00
56	L Bessie Parker, teaching,	10	00
57	I W Frost, wood,	15	00
58	School district of Eaton, tuition,	27	44
59	Milton Bradley Co.,	15	98
60	Conway School district, tuition,	68	00
61	L Bessie Parker, teaching,	5	00
62	Ginn & Co, supplies,	11	00
63	Ethel Lane, teaching,	30	00
64	P G Purrington, repairs on schoolhouse,	4	15
65	Edna Gilman, salary,	10	00
66	L Bessie Parker, teaching,	76	50
67	Conway School district, tuition,		00
68	A C Kennett, wood,	4	00

69	J Danforth, sawing wood,	1	50
70	Arthur Leavitt, building fires,	1	50
71	Henry Harmon "	2	00
72	Fred Frost "	2	00
73	Geo Littlefield, fitting wood,	2	00
74	Walter Kennett, wood,	12	00
75	J H Burke, wood,	10	50
76	Jesse Kennett, supplies,		85
77	Margaret F Stevens, teaching,	121	00
78	A C Balch, carrying scholars,	33	50
70	Ethel Lane, terching,	10	00
80	Arthur Leavitt, building fires,	1	50
81	Harry Harmon "	2	00
82	Fred Frost "	2	00
	Balance in treasury,	341	53
		\$2,352	21

SIDNEY D. GILMAN, School Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE.

I, John H. Burke, auditor for the town of Madison, for the financial year ending Feb. 15, 1913, hereby certify that I have carefully examined the foregoing account, and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

JOHN H. BURKE, Auditor.

VITAL STATISTICS.

To the Selectmen:—In compliance with an act of the legislature passed June Session, 1887, requiring clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages, and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report, I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS.

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ıA) µe CI	Male	Living	bli			атеп				
Date of t	OI	or	СР	Name of Father	Maiden Name of	d lo	Residence of	Residence of Occupation of	Birthplace of	Birthplace of
	Female	Female Stillborn	No. of	10.5	Mother	Color	Parents	Father	Pather	Mother
lan 1 Andrew F	male	Living.	IL	W E L Nickerson Arvilla Warren	Arvilla Warren	91	2 Madison	Fireman	Madison	Madison
13 Charles E.	:	-	2	Ernest C Brown	Nina Rogers	Į	1.	Laborer	Albany	Bethel Vt
Mar 20 Florence F	female	-	4	John L Bickford	Carrie F Fifield	IA	33	3	Tamworth	Sandwich
une 5	male		1	Preston E Allard	Phoebe Stacy	Λ	33	:	Eaton	Madison
Sept 7 Helen P	female	3	hed	Jesse Eshackford Pauline Hurd	Pauline Hurd		,,	"	**	Freedom
10 Charlotte			2	Frank A Gray	Susan Potter		1)	,.	Madison	Conway
22 Wendall A	male		1	Geo R Nickerson	Emma Alley		**	Farmer	11	Madi on
Feb 15 Mark		:	1	WillieEGranville	Belle Savary		***	;	*	Nova Scotia
Apr 14 Millie C	female		00	T C Pearson	T C Pearson Carrie L Smith		, ,	13	91	Campton
Sept 30 Jedediah L,	male	17	I	Irving Garrison	Mertie E Lyman	ĺ	3,1	Chauffeur	New York	Madison
y 27 Edward II	;	,,	00	WillieEGranville	Belle Savary		17	Farmer	Mad.son	Nova Scotia
Sept 25 Perley E.	,	33	9	Frank G Ward	Emma Sawyer		73	9	**	Maine
	female	11	3	Alpha Mason	Edna O Dell		*,	Mill hand	Conway	Madison
Dec 19 Arthur H	male	91	3	Roy Whitman	Celia Therault		**	>,,	Nova Scotia	m m

MARRIAGES.

Date	Place of Mar- riage	Name and Surnar Groom and Brid Residence of Eg Time of Marria	Age in Years Color of Each	me of FE GOCCUpation of Bi Groom and Groom and Good Bride	Birthplace of Each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Residence, and Official Station of Per- son by Whom Married	in Married
9	Mar 16 Madison	Roscoe G Green Madison	63 ite	63 Parmer	Madison	Ansel B Greene	Maine	L E Hall C .	
		Mary S Ward Madison	M.P.	37 Housework	Porter Me	John H Weeks	Porter Me		Madison
3	May 13 Acton Me	James Welch Madison	34 (Operator	Ossipee	Peter Welch	Ossipee	James W William C	amc
		Gertrude Eldridge Tamworth	20	Housework	33	Orin Fldridge	Ossipee		Acton Me
-	21 Tamworth	Preston E Allard	35	Laborer	Madison	Loren E Allard	Eaton	D A Gammon C	
		Phoebe A Stacy	18	Housewife		Hannah Godfrey Stephen Stacy	Stoneham Mass Madison		Tamworth
10	June 5 Madison.	Melford W Chamberlin	32	Draftsman	Boston Mass	Francena Pascoe A Chamberlin	Boston Mass	LE Hall C	
		Lula M Lyman	22	Nurse		Julia Tolmes Frank E Lyman	Madison		Madison
9	**	Nelson J Towle	22	Laborer	CharlestownM	Lizzie Kenerson Wm J Towle		LE Hall C	
		Clara W Frost	20	Housework	Boston Mass	Annie Stanley E Frost	Bangor Me Madison		Madison
12	11	William H Caddy	25	Cigar maker		M C Cronin James Cuddy	Ireland Boston Mass	LE Hall C	
-		Catheron Cameron Boston Mass	22		·	Daniel Cameron	Nova Scotia		Madison
23	11	Frank W Lewis Madison	32	Laborer	Madison	John Lewis		L E Hall C	
-		Florence Boyd Madison	39	Housework		Eugene Alley Sarah Tibbetts	Eaton Madison		Madison

DEATHS.

Maiden Name of Father Name of Mother	Preston Allard Phoebe Stacy MarkNickerson CarolineKennett Richard O'Deil Lydia Gile
Mother	Madison Eaton Conway
Father	Eaton Eaton Conway
Occupation	
Male Single or or or emale	male 2 Married Farmer and Single Married Writer
Years Months Days Place o	June 4 Andrew J Hall 84 Rumery ms 5 Frederick Mauley 41 2 England Sept 25 Geo A Nickerson 56 10 25 Madison Oct 4 Wm F O'Dell 22 5 22 Conway 4 Thomas Butter 60 5 5 22 Conway 60 60 60 60 60 60 60 6
	Place of Birth or by Married Occupation Father Mother Name of Father Name Female Owidowed

S D. GILMAN, Town Clerk. I hereby certify that he above and foregoing is a true transcript of the record of all the Births, Marriages and Deaths that have been reported to me for the year ending December 31, 1912.



